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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of Alfred M. Handler

Docket No.0203.00

Art Unit: 1636

Serial No. 09/915,840

Examiner: G. Leffers, Jr.

Filed: 07/27/2001

For: PiggyBac Transformation System

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a One month extension of time to respond to the Office Action with a mail date of May 6, 2004, thereby extending the period of response to September 7, 2004, since September 6 falls on a holiday. Please charge the \$110.00 fee for said extension to account 50-2134.

AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Office action, with a mail date of May 6, 2004, please amend the application as set forth below.